INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in IAC Conference Room, Administration Building Central Intelligence Agency, at 1045, 11 June 1957

Director of Central Intelligence
Allen W. Dulles
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

- Mr. Hugh S. Cumming, Jr., Special Assistant for Intelligence, Department of State
- Major General Robert A. Schow, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Department of the Army
- Rear Admiral Laurence H. Frost, * Director of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy
- Captain W. S. Howell,* acting for Director of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy
- Major General Millard Lewis, Director of Intelligence, Headquarters, United States Air Force
- Brigadier General Richard Collins, Deputy Director for Intelligence, The Joint Staff
- Mr. Harry S. Traynor, Atomic Energy Commission representative to the IAC
- Mr. Meffert W. Kuhrtz, acting for Federal Bureau of Investigation representative to the IAC

^{*} Part of meeting

1. Approval of Minutes*

4 June Meeting
(IAC-M-292)

Approved as written. In this connection, after referring to item 4 Mr. Kent noted that he had communicated with Mr. Cumming and that they were attempting to work out a solution with respect to the proposed NIE on Resistance Intelligence.

| 2. | Review | of | Crisis | Situations |
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| <u>a</u> . | Watch Committee Report No. 357 | |
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| <u>b.</u> | Other Crisis Situations | |
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Mr. Cumming then invited the members' attention to the fact that the electoral returns in Lebanon thus far appeared to be generally favorable to the US.

The members also exchanged views on recent developments in Jordanian-Egyptian relations, especially the possible extent to which King Hussein may have acted with the prior knowledge and approval of King Saud in expelling certain Egyptian personnel from Jordan.

Mr. Cumming stated that the problem of French-Tunisian relations continued to bear watching and discussed in some detail with the members certain factors affecting this situation. In this

connection, Mr. Kent noted that a draft estimate on Tunisia which had considered various of these matters was now ready for submission to the IAC and the members concurred in the Chairman's suggestion that this estimate be reviewed at the next regular IAC meeting. After stating that he planned to brief the NSC on this situation, the Chairman indicated that he might contact Mr. Cumming again on this matter and asked General Schow to furnish certain order of battle information.

Mr. Cumming referred to recent reports regarding Yemen and exchanged views with the members on various aspects of this situation, especially the political orientation of the Imam and the question of Soviet Bloc arms shipments to Yemen.

4. SNIE 100-7-57
Probable Sino-Soviet Reactions
to US Deployment of Nuclear
Weapons Systems

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Approved as amended.

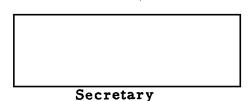
5. NIE 11-3-57
Probable Intelligence Warning of Soviet Attack on the US
Through Mid-1960

After discussing this draft estimate the members agreed to defer action for one week, during which the IAC representatives were directed to reconsider certain aspects of this paper (particularly Section III, A) in the light of comments by General Lewis and other members, and submit any proposed revisions for IAC consideration.

6. Special Air Force Briefing

At 1300 the Air Force presented a special briefing.

Adjournment: 1340



SECRETARY'S NOTES

- 1. No objection having been raised by a member, the Secretary has authorized release to USIA of NIE 36.2-57, "The Outlook for Iraq," 4 June 1957 (IAC-M-292, Secretary's Note 2).
- 2. Unless objection is raised by a member at the next regular meeting of the IAC, the Secretary proposes to release to USIA and SNIE 100-7-57, "Probable Sino-Soviet Reactions to US Deployment of Nuclear Weapons

"Probable Sino-Soviet Reactions to US Deployment of Nuclear Weapons Systems," both dated 11 June 1957.

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ALSO PRESENT

Central Intelligence Agency

Mr. Robert Amory, Jr.

Mr. Sherman Kent

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Mr. Herbert Scoville, Jr.

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Department of State

Mr. William McAfee

Mr. Thomas Larson

Mr. Howard Wiedemann

Mr. Peter Walker

Department of the Army

Lieutenant Colonel Charles A. Pratt

Lieutenant Colonel Anthony P. Bonnaffon

Lieutenant Colonel Thomas F. McCord